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Information Required of Brokers and Dealers Pursuant to Section 17 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 17a-5 Thereunder

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A. REC	GISTRANT IDENTIFI	CATION			
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B. ACC	OUNTANT IDENTIFI	CATION			
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT v Spicer Jeffries LLP	vhose opinion is contained i	n this Report*			
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\*Claims for exemption from the requirement that the annual report be covered by the opinion of an independent public accountant must be supported by a statement of facts and circumstances relied on as the basis for the exemption. See Section 240.17a-5(e)(2)

### OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Lynn Koczera	, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
	atement and supporting schedules pertaining to the firm of
Andrews Securities, LLC d/b/a Andrews Partners	, as
	2014, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, princip classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:	al officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account
	Signature
	Financial and Operations Principal
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Notary Public  This report ** contains (check all applicable boxes):  [X](a) Facing Page. [X](b) Statement of Financial Condition. [X](c) Statement of Income (Loss).	DAWN HOUDEK NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF COLORADO NOTARY ID 20054038128 My Commission Expires Oct. 7, 2017
<ul> <li>★(d) Statement of Changes in Financial Condition.</li> <li>★(e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity of Pa</li> <li>↓(f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to</li> <li>★(g) Computation of Net Capital (including reconciliation in Computation for Determination of Reserve Require information Relating to the Possession or Control Rational including appropriate explanation Computation for Determination of the Reserve Require information for Determination for Determi</li></ul>	o Claims of Creditors. on of X-17A-5 Part II filing with this Rule 17a-5(d) report, if applicable). ments Pursuant to Rule 15c3-3. Requirements Under Rule 15c3-3. of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-3 and the quirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.
<ul> <li>□(k) A Reconciliation between the audited and unaudited consolidation.</li> <li>□(l) An Oath or Affirmation.</li> </ul>	d Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of
(m) A copy of the SIPC Supplemental Report.	d to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit. ng Control.

<sup>\*\*</sup>For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

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### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

To the Members of Andrews Securities, LLC d/b/a Andrews Partners

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial condition of Andrews Securities, LLC d/b/a Andrews Partners (the "Company") as of December 31, 2014 that is filed pursuant to Rule 17a-5 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and the related notes to the statement of financial condition. The Company's management is responsible for this financial statement. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this financial statement based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. The Company is not required to have, nor were we engaged to perform, an audit of its internal control over financial reporting. Our audit included consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statement referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the financial condition of the Company as of December 31, 2014 in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Spice Offices US

Greenwood Village, Colorado February 18, 2015



### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION DECEMBER 31, 2014

### **ASSETS**

Cash and cash equivalents (Note 1) Other assets	\$	105,393 3,875
	<u>\$</u>	109,268
LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY		
LIABILITIES: Accrued expenses and other liabilities	\$	5,329
COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (Notes 3 and 4)		
MEMBERS' EQUITY (Note 2)		103,939
	\$	109,268

#### NOTES TO STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

#### NOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Organization and Business

Andrews Securities, LLC ("Andrews Securities" or the "Company"), is a Delaware limited liability company, organized in 2003 to engage in best efforts underwriting and private placements of securities. The Company is registered as a broker-dealer in securities with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") and is a member of the Financial Industry Regulation Authority, Inc. ("FINRA").

#### 15c-3 Exemption

The Company, under Rule 15c3-3(k)(2)(i) is exempt from the reserve and possession or control requirements of Rule 15c3-3 of the Securities and Exchange Commission. The Company does not carry or clear customer accounts.

#### Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company considers all highly-liquid investments purchased with an original maturity of three months or less on the purchase date to be cash equivalents.

#### Revenue Recognition

The Company primarily derives its revenues from investment banking and capital raising activities. Revenue associated with investment banking and capital raising activities is recognized when earned in accordance with the applicable investment banking and placement agent agreements. Due diligence fees and expense advances received by the Company, along with any related expenses that are incurred, are initially deferred and are recognized only when the services have been provided.

The Company also derives revenues from offering compliance and consulting services to several clients. They received \$6,076 from providing compliance services to Lohi Merchant Bank which is a related party. Two of the owners of Lohi Merchant Bank are registered representatives of Andrews Partners.

The Company records its securities transactions on a trade-date basis. Changes in the valuation of portfolio investments are included in the statement of operations.

#### Valuation of Securities

The Company accounts for its investments in accordance with Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") 820. Under ASC 820, fair value is defined as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability (i.e., the "exit price") in an orderly transaction between market participants and the measurement date.

### NOTES TO STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

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## NOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### Valuation of Securities (continued)

In determining fair value, the Company uses various valuation approaches. ASC 820 establishes a fair value hierarchy for inputs used in measuring fair value that maximizes the use of observable inputs and minimizes the use of unobservable inputs by requiring that the most observable inputs be used when available. Observable inputs are those that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability based on market data obtained from sources independent of the Company. Unobservable inputs reflect the Company's assumption about the inputs market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability developed based on the best information available in the circumstances.

The fair value hierarchy is categorized into three levels based on the inputs as follows:

- Level 1 Valuations based on unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Company has the ability to access. Valuation adjustments and blockage discounts are not applied to Level 1 securities. Since valuations are based on quoted prices that are readily and regularly available in an active market, valuation of these securities does not entail a significant degree of judgment.
- Level 2 Valuations based on quoted prices in markets that are not active or for which all significant inputs are observable, either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3 Valuations based on inputs that are unobservable and significant to the overall fair value measurement.

The availability of valuation techniques and observable inputs can vary from security to security and is affected by a wide variety of factors, including the type of security, whether the security is new and not yet established in the marketplace, and other characteristics particular to the transaction. To the extent that valuation is based on models or inputs that are less observable or unobservable in the market, the determination of fair value requires more judgment. Those estimated values do not necessarily represent the amounts that may be ultimately realized due to the occurrence of future circumstances that cannot be reasonably determined.

Fair value is a market-based measure considered from the perspective of a market participant rather than an entity-specific measure. Therefore, even when market assumptions are not readily available, the Company's own assumptions are set to reflect those that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability at the measurement date. The Company uses prices and inputs that are current as of the measurement date, including during periods of market dislocation. In periods of market dislocation, the observability of prices and inputs may be reduced for many securities. This condition could cause a security to be reclassified to a lower level within the fair value hierarchy.

#### NOTES TO STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

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## NOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### Valuation of Securities (concluded)

The Company values investments in securities that are freely tradable and are listed on a national securities exchange or reported on the NASDAQ national market at their last sales price as of the last business day of the year.

Many cash and over-the-counter (OTC) contracts have bid-and-ask prices that can be observed in the marketplace. Bid prices reflect the highest price that the marketplace participants are willing to pay for an asset. Ask prices represent the lowest price that the marketplace participants are willing to accept for an asset. For securities whose inputs are based on bid-ask prices, the Company's valuation policies require that fair value be within the bid-ask range. The Company's policies for securities traded in the OTC markets and listed securities for which no sale was reported on that date are valued at their last reported "bid" price if held long, and last reported "asked" price if sold short. The Company considers these investments as Level 1 securities for active markets and Level 2 securities for thinly traded markets. Changes in fair value are reflected in the Company's statement of operations.

#### **Income Taxes**

The Company is recognized as a partnership by the Internal Revenue Service. As such, the Company does not record a provision for income taxes because its members report their share of the Company's income or loss on their income tax return.

The Company is required to determine whether a tax position is more likely than not to be sustained upon examination by the applicable taxing authority, including resolution of any tax related appeals or litigation processes, based on the technical merits of the position. The Company files an income tax return in the U.S. federal jurisdiction, and may file income tax returns in various U.S. states. The Company is not subject to income tax return examinations by major taxing authorities for years before 2011. The tax benefit recognized is measured as the largest amount of benefit that has a greater than fifty percent likelihood of being realized upon ultimate settlement. De-recognition of a tax benefit previously recognized results in the Company recording a tax liability that reduces net assets. However, the Company's conclusions regarding this policy may be subject to review and adjustment at a later date based on factors including, but not limited to, on-going analyses of and changes to tax laws, regulations and interpretations thereof. The Company recognizes interest accrued related to unrecognized tax benefits and penalties related to unrecognized tax benefits in income taxes payable, if assessed. No interest expense or penalties have been recognized as of and for the year ended December 31, 2014.

#### Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the

#### NOTES TO STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

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## NOTE 1 - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (concluded)

#### **Use of Estimates** (concluded)

reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### NOTE 2 - NET CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

Pursuant to the net capital provisions of Rule 15c3-1 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Company is required to maintain a minimum net capital, as defined under such provisions. At December 31, 2014, the Company had net capital and net capital requirements of \$100,064 and \$50,000, respectively. The Company's net capital ratio (aggregate indebtedness to net capital) was 0.05 to 1. According to Rule 15c3-1, the Company's net capital ratio shall not exceed 15 to 1.

#### **NOTE 3 - OPERATING LEASES**

The Company has a noncancelable operating lease with an unrelated party for office space which expires in June 2015. Future minimum lease payments are as follows:

December 31, Amount

2015 **\$ 19,946** 

Rent and related occupancy costs charged to operations amounted to \$25,272 for the year ended December 31, 2014.

## NOTE 4 - FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS WITH OFF-BALANCE SHEET RISK AND OTHER RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Company is engaged in various corporate financing activities with counterparties that primarily include issuers with which the Company has an investment banking assignment. In the event counterparties do not fulfill their obligations, the Company may be exposed to risk. The risk of default depends on the creditworthiness of the counterparty or issuer of the instrument.

### NOTES TO STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

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## NOTE 4 - FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS WITH OFF-BALANCE SHEET RISK AND OTHER RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES (concluded)

It is the Company's policy to review, as necessary, the credit standing of each counterparty with which it conducts business. In the Company's trading activities, the Company may purchase securities for its own account and may incur losses if the market value of those securities decline subsequent to December 31, 2014.

The Company's financial instruments, including cash and cash equivalents, investment banking fees receivable, other assets, and accrued expenses and other liabilities, are carried at amounts that approximate fair value due to the short-term nature of those instruments. Investments are valued as described in Note 1.

As of December 31, 2014, the Company does not have deposits in banks in excess of the FDIC insured amount of \$250,000.

#### NOTE 5 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Company has performed an evaluation of subsequent events through the date the financial statements were issued. The evaluation did not result in any subsequent events that required disclosures and/or adjustments.